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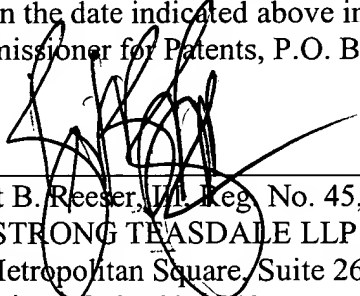
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STATUS

2. Applicant

☐ Claims small entity status.  
☒ is other than a small entity.

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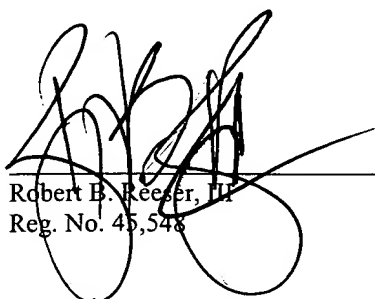
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### EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

- (a) \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
(Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

Extension for response within:	Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)
_____ First month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
_____ Second month	\$ 410.00	\$ 205.00
_____ Third month	\$ 930.00	\$ 465.00
_____ Fourth month	\$1,450.00	\$ 725.00
_____ Fifth month	\$1,970.00	\$ 985.00

Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

*(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)*

\_\_\_\_\_ An extension of \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$

OR

- (b) ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

### FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	ADDITIONAL RATE FEE	ADDITIONAL RATE FEE
TOTAL INDEP.	MINUS		=	x \$9 = \$	x \$18 = \$
	MINUS		=	x \$42 = \$	x \$84 = \$
— FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ \$140 = \$	+ \$280 = \$
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$	OR TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$

- (a) ☒ No additional fee for claims is required.

**OR**

- (b) \_\_\_\_\_ Total additional fee for claims required \$

### FEE PAYMENT

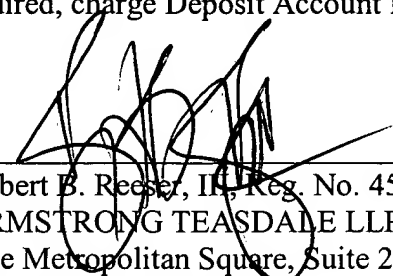
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Attached is a check in the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384 the sum of \$  
 A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

### FEE DEFICIENCY

6. ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

**AND/OR**

- ☒ If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Other:

  
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